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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I support broadband competition and ask you to support local broadband providers.

I live in an older mobile home park that does not have modern cable or fiber facilities. AT&T is the local phone service provider. They can only certify my wired internet speed to 4 megabytes utilizing their archaic twisted pair wiring.

Sonic, my local broadband provider, can give me a product that provides triple the speed at a very competitive price.

Without Sonic's services I would not have dependable voice and internet services.

Years ago AT&T was ordered to split up because they were too big. Today we find that you, the FCC, and other government entities have allowed them to once again become a monopoly. It's time for another divestiture to allow for more competition and better services from our local broadband providers.

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